**ANNUAL REPORT - 1980** 



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### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

#### TO THE SHAREHOLDERS:

The Corporation's wholly owned subsidiary, Raglan Quebec Mines Limited, holds mineral exploration permits totalling 326 square miles and 167 mineral claims located in the Ungava region of Quebec.

In 1980 an airborne magnetometer survey was flown over the permit areas and rehabilitation of equipment and facilities was completed in preparation for the 1981 diamond drilling and surface mapping program.

An extensive review of feasibility studies has been carried out. Methods of providing less expensive power and reduced construction costs for the plant have been identified for further technical and economic evaluation in 1981. Continued emphasis will be placed on reducing infrastructure costs and improving transportation aspects of the project.

The Consolidated Financial Statements of the Corporation and its subsidiary Raglan Quebec Mines Limited for the year ended December 31, 1980 are included in this report.

On behalf of the Board of Directors,

Toronto, Ontario May 20, 1981 L. C. KILBURN, President.

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### CONSOLIDATED BALANCE

### ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS	1980	1979	
Cash and short term securities, at cost which approximates market value .	\$ 42,676	\$ 87,535	
FIXED ASSETS			
Mineral exploration licences and staked claims in the Cape Smith-Wakeham Bay area of Ungava, Quebec, at cost	81,000	81,000	
Buildings and prospecting equipment, at nominal value	1	1	
	81,001	81,001	
DEFERRED EXPENDITURES			
Exploration, development and other expenditures deferred (notes 2 and 5)	29,716,423	28,509,489	
	\$29,840,100	\$28,678,025	

### AUDITO

To the Shareholders of New Quebec Raglan Mines Limited

We have examined the consolidated balance sheet of New Quebec Rag development and other expenditures deferred and changes in financial position for the standards, and accordingly included such tests and other procedures as we considere

In our opinion, these consolidated financial statements present fairly the and the changes in its financial position for the year then ended in accordance with gen year.

Toronto, Canada January 28, 1981

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### LIABILITIES

CURRENT LIABILITIES	1980	1979
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 6,126	\$ 15,743
LONG TERM LIABILITIES		
Loans from Falconbridge Nickel Mines Limited (note 3)	108,683	
MINORITY INTEREST		
Preferred shares of subsidiary company issued to Falconbridge Nickel Mines Limited (notes 2 and 4)	18,404,477	17,396,566
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		
CAPITAL STOCK		
Authorized — 8,000,000 shares of \$1 each  Issued — 7,763,871 shares (note 2)	7,763,871	7,763,871
Amount representing exploration expenditures made by Falconbridge		
Nickel Mines Limited for which shares are to be issued (note 2)	55,174	
PREMIUM ON SHARES		7,382
	7,826,427	7,771,329
CONTRIBUTED SURPLUS ARISING FROM REDUCTION OF CAPITAL	0.407.406	0.407.406
IN 1965 (note 6)	2,197,496 1,296,891	2,197,496 1,296,891
RETAINED LARNINGS	11,320,814	11,265,716
	\$29,840,100	\$28,678,025
Contingency (note 5)	\$23,0 <del>10</del> ,100	<del>\$20,070,023</del>
Contingency (note 3)		

Approved by the Board

L. C. KILBURN, Director

J.-H. GAGNÉ, Director

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nes Limited as at December 31, 1980 and the consolidated statements of exploration, nen ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing essary in the circumstances.

icial position of the company as at December 31, 1980 and the results of its operations accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding

Shorne Fiddell
Chartered Accountants

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF EXPLORATION, DEVELOPMENT AND OTHER EXPENDITURES DEFERRED Year Ended December 31, 1980

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Exploration	1980	1979
Direct costs		
Feasibility study	\$ 160,180	
Geological expenses	84,018	\$ 650
Geophysical expenses	122,628	
Diamond drilling	136,592	
Camp operation	215,689	
Other expenses	288,804	
	1,007,911	650
Indirect costs  Property maintenance	79,288	53,948
Property maintenance	1,087,199	54,598
Financing	1,007,199	34,330
Value assigned to shares of company to be issued as additional		
consideration to Falconbridge Nickel Mines Limited for making		
expenditures on subsidiary company's property (note 2)	55,098	35
Administrative	69,949	28,217
Total expenditures for the year	1,212,246	82,850
Deduct		
Proceeds from sale of equipment		94,292
Interest earned	5,312	3,061
	5,312	97,353
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN EXPLORATION, DEVELOPMENT AND	4	
OTHER EXPENDITURES	1,206,934	(14,503)
EXPENDITURES DEFERRED AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	28,509,489	28,523,992
EXPENDITURES DEFERRED AT END OF YEAR (note 5)	\$29,716,423	\$28,509,489
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL Year Ended December 31, 1980	POSITION	
WORKING CAPITAL DERIVED FROM	1980	1979
Preferred shares of subsidiary company to be issued for		
exploration expenditures	\$ 1,007,911	\$ 650
Shares of company to be issued for expenditures on the subsidiary		
company's property	55,098	35
Proceeds from sale of equipment		94,292
Interest earned	5,312	3,061
Loans from Falconbridge Nickel Mines Limited	108,683	
	1,177,004	98,038
WORKING CAPITAL APPLIED TO		
Exploration, development and other expenditures	1,212,246	82,850
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN WORKING CAPITAL	(35,242)	15,188
WORKING CAPITAL AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	71,792	56,604
WORKING CAPITAL AT END OF YEAR	\$ 36,550	\$ 71,792

### NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Year Ended December 31, 1980

#### BASIS OF CONSOLIDATION

These financial statements include the accounts of the company and its subsidiary company, Raglan Quebec Mines Limited (No Personal Liability).

### 2. EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENTS

In accordance with agreements entered into with Falconbridge Nickel Mines Limited, Falconbridge has undertaken exploration and development work on the subsidiary company's properties. As consideration Falconbridge receives:

One share of \$1 par value of the subsidiary's redeemable, cumulative preferred shares for each \$1 of expenditure and,

One share of New Quebec Raglan Mines Limited for each \$37.50 of expenditure.

Prior to 1977 the company recorded the issuance of its shares at \$15 and \$12 per share which were the approximate fair market values of the shares at the dates of signing the prior agreements. Shares issued pursuant to a new agreement dated January 1, 1977 are to be issued at \$2.05 per share which is the approximate fair market value at that date. Pursuant to the agreements, Falconbridge incurred expenditures for which shares have been issued or are to be issued as follows:

	Expenditures	Preferred shares of subsidiary — par value	Shares of company — number
Total at January 1, 1979	\$17,395,916	\$17,395,916	263,891
1979	650	650	17
1980	1,007,911	1,007,911	26,877
Total at December 31, 1980	\$18,404,477	\$18,404,477	290,785

Falconbridge has the right under the agreements to continue exploration and development on the properties, expend further amounts thereon up to \$1,595,523 and receive as consideration preferred shares of the subsidiary company at par value and in addition one share of the company's capital stock for each \$37.50 of such expenditure.

The federal income tax benefits with respect to these expenditures are claimable by Falconbridge and are not claimable by the subsidiary company.

#### 3. LONG TERM LIABILITIES

The loans from Falconbridge Nickel Mines Limited of \$108,683 bear interest at prime plus 1¾% (20% at December 31, 1980). The loans are due on August 1, 1982; however, the company is required to repay the loans out of any prior financing raised for the purpose of putting the property of Raglan Quebec Mines Limited situated in the Cape Smith-Wakeham Bay area into commercial production.

### 4. ARREARS OF DIVIDENDS

Arrears of dividends on the cumulative preferred shares of the subsidiary company amount to \$12,590,132 at December 31, 1980 and \$11,378,364 at December 31, 1979. The subsidiary company has agreed that it will not pay dividends on its common shares or make any other payments to its common shareholders until all of its third preferred shares are redeemed.

### 5. EXPLORATION, DEVELOPMENT AND OTHER EXPENDITURES DEFERRED

Exploration, development and other expenditures incurred in the development of properties of the subsidiary company in the Cape Smith-Wakeham Bay area, amounting to \$29,716,423 at December 31, 1980 (\$28,509,489 at December 31, 1979) have been deferred with the intention that they should be amortized by charges against income from future mining operations. Development work on the properties was suspended in 1971 and since that time studies have continued on the feasibility of alternate methods of bringing the properties into production. Profits which are commensurate with the risks of operating in such a remote northern location, must be indicated before development to production. The exploration permits and development licences pertaining to these properties expire in 1982 and the company has no reason to believe that new permits will not be issued.

### 6. CONTRIBUTED SURPLUS

Pursuant to supplementary letters patent dated December 14, 1965, 3,750,000 of the 7,500,000 shares then outstanding were cancelled and the amount for which the cancelled shares had been issued was designated as contributed surplus.



